2877. Adulteration of chorionic gonadotropin. U. S. v. 490 Ampuls * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26541. Sample No. 21832–K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about February 24, 1949, Western District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 21, 1948, by Intramed & Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 490 ampuls of chorionic gonadotropin at Kansas City, Mo.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the purity and quality of the article fell below that which it purported to possess since it was for parenteral administration and was unsterile.

DISPOSITION: September 15, 1949. Default decree of destruction.

2878. Adulteration and misbranding of wound dressing. U. S. v. 158 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27183. Sample No. 11192-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 9, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 7, 1949, by Rona Laboratories, Inc., from Carlstadt, N. J.

PRODUCT: 158 bottles of wound dressing at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Clinico's Sterilized Wound Dressing Yellow Petrolatum U. S. P. Gauze 2 in. x 10 yds."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the purity and quality of the article fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess since it was a dressing for wounds and was not sterile.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Sterilized" was false and misleading as applied to a product which was not sterile but which was contaminated with living micro-organisms.

Disposition: July 5, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2879. Adulteration and misbranding of adhesive bandages. U. S. v. 30,000 * * * * (F. D. C. No. 27395. Sample No. 19865-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 6, 1949, Middle District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 26, 1949, by the Hampton Mfg. Co., from Carlstadt, N. J.

PRODUCT: 30,000 adhesive bandages at Nashville, Tenn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Blue Cross Sterilized * * * Adhesive Strips."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be "Adhesive Absorbent Gauze [or "Adhesive Absorbent Compress"]," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was not sterile but was contaminated with living micro-organisms.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Sterilized" was false and misleading.

Disposition: July 7, 1949. Default decree of destruction.

2880. Adulteration and misbranding of prophylactics. U.S. v. 60 Gross * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27555. Sample No. 4739-K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 5, 1949, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 2, 1949, by the Killashun Sales Division, from Akron, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 60 gross of *prophylactics* at Boston, Mass. Examination of samples showed that 6 percent were defective in that they contained holes or were brittle.

LABEL, IN PART: "Silver-Tex Prophylactic Mfd. By The Killian Mfg. Co., Akron, Ohio."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the quality of the article fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statements "Prophylactic," "Prophylactics" and "Electronically Tested * * * For Your Protection" were false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained holes and was brittle.

DISPOSITION: August 30, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2881. Adulteration and misbranding of prophylactics. U. S. v. 78 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27585. Sample Nos. 63618-K, 63619-K.)

Liber Filed: July 19, 1949, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 9 and November 13, 1948, by the Killashun Sales Div., Inc., from Akron, Ohio.

PRODUCT: Prophylactics. 78 cartons, each containing 12 packages of 1 dozen and 196 cartons each containing 48 packages of 14 dozen at Tampa, Fla. Examination of samples indicated that 36.1 percent of the 78-carton lot and 24.3 percent of the 196-carton lot were defective in that they contained holes or were otherwise defective.

LABEL, IN PART: "Texide Prophylactics Mfd. By L. E. Shunk Latex Prod. Inc., Akron, Ohio."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the quality of the article fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statements, "Prophylactic," "Prophylactics," "Electronically Tested," and "For Your Protection," were false and misleading as applied to an article which contained holes or was otherwise defective.

Disposition: September 22, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

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2882. Misbranding of Gramer's Sulgly-Minol. U. S. v. 88 Bottles, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27560. Sample Nos. 50471–K, 50472–K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 22, 1949, Eastern District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: By Walter W. Gramer, from Minneapolis, Minn. The product was shipped on or about May 26, 1949, and a number of circulars and leaflets were shipped on or about May 26 and June 7, 1949.

^{*}See also Nos. 2873, 2876, 2878-2881.